St Peter's Parish

Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale, Snake Valley

Please Contact the Cathedral Office 5331 2933

Parish Office: Jacinta Westbrook,

Priests: Frs Justin Driscoll, Anthony Nagothu, Sajan Mathew

Sunday 15th October 2017

Recent Deaths: Carmel Edwards

Anniversaries: Fr Dan Boylan, Eileen Bruty, Clara Conlan, Maurice Fay, Shane Ferrari, Bill Heath,

Marie Hermans, Frank Kennedy, Alva Orsborne, Peter Reilly, Bill Squire.

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially Ariel Casanova,

Margaret Cranko, Nic Gowans, Nancy Hand, Grace Molloy, Kerrie Mulcahy, Marie Stevens, Milly Yeoman

Next week's readings: Sunday October 22nd 2017 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Isaiah 45:1.4-6 Ps 95:1. 3-5. 7-10. R. v.7 Thessalonians 1:1-5 Matthew 22:15-21

Masses: 21st/22nd October 6.30 pm Snake Valley 8.30am Beaufort 10.30 am Skipton

28th/29th October 6.30 pm Smythesdale 9.00am Linton 10.30 am Skipton

Beaufort & Linton Parish Mission with Fr Richard Leonard SJ

Parishioners are invited to the mission led by Fr Richard Leonard SJ which is being held across the Beaufort and Linton parishes commencing with the weekend Masses next weekend

Sunday October 15th 6.00 pm Mass Beaufort.

Monday October 16th11.00 amSkipton7.00 pmBeaufortTuesday October 17th11.00 amBeaufort7.00 pmSnake ValleyWednesday October 18th11.00 amSkipton5.00 pmBeaufort.

The morning session is repeated in the afternoon/evening. For times and places please see the flyer on the notice boards or contact the Beaufort Parish Centre on 5349 2880.

Parish missions are a time for us to reflect on where we have been, where we are and where we are going. This mission will focus on the issues that confront us as Christian in the contemporary world and offer practical direction about how we can live more deeply our lives of faith

"I dream of a 'missionary option', that is, a missionary impulse capable of transforming everything, Pope Francis. The Joy of the Gospel(EG 27).



Ballarat Catholic Secondary College Information evenings

Loreto College Monday October 23rd 7.00 pm

Damascus College Thursday October 26th 6.30 pm (Registrations by 6.15 pm)

St Patrick's College Thursday October 26th 7.30 pm Please register https://www.trybooking.com/RCPH

Loreto College Events

Experience Loreto College Day – "Beyond the Historic Fence"

This is an opportunity for prospective families to visit the College in action. You will be taken on a guided tour of the College by current students and staff who will show you the grounds and facilities and share their insight into being a student at Loreto College. Wednesday, October 18th 9.00am – 12.00pm Must register to attend www.loreto.vic.edu.au

Past Pupils' Annual High Tea & Mass of Remembrance - Tuesday 24 October, 2017

The Past Pupils Annual High Tea & Mass of Remembrance is the main annual gathering for past pupils of all ages. All past pupils and friends are warmly invited to attend Mass in the Chapel at 5pm in remembrance of all deceased members of the Loreto family. Past Pupils High Tea will be held in the Mary's Mount Centre Foyer before the Mass between 2pm and 3.45pm. High Tea Bookings are \$10 per head. To book: https://loreto.vic.edu.au/events-publications-media/loreto-event/ or Ph: 53296137 Past Pupils Association AGM will be held in the Mary's Mount Centre Foyer between 3.45pm and 4.45pm. Mass of Remembrance will be held at 5pm in the Chapel For further information please contact the Loreto College Marketing & Development Office on 53296137.

Loreto Old Boys Twilight Beverages - Friday 27 October – 5pm, Mary's Mount Centre Courtyard The Annual 'Old Boys' event is a fantastic opportunity for the past Loreto boys catch up and reconnect over a drink on the College grounds. To RSVP: To

book: https://loreto.vic.edu.au/events-publications-media/loreto-event/ or Ph: 53296137

Supporting Edmund Rice Works: Timor-Leste

Fundraiser Film luncheon "The Mountain Between Us" at the Regent Theatre Ballarat on Sunday, October 22, 2017 at 2.30pm. Cost: \$20.00pp, school students \$15.00. Contact Liz, 0417 347262 lizh@aanet.com.au

Year of Youth 2018

2018 is the Year of Youth in Australia starting Advent (3 December 2017). The Year of Youth theme is *Open New Horizons for Spreading Joy.* Parishes and others are asked to incorporate the Year of Youth in their planning: how might you celebrate locally or in conjunction with neighbours? Year of Youth information is on Ballarat Diocese website www.ballarat.catholic.org.au /Youth and Young Adult pages, or email youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au

MENtal Brekky

Friday October 20th at St Patrick's college OCA Pavilion form 7am – 8.30am, come and join a conversation about men's mental health. Tickets \$50 including breakfast. Funds raised will go to the Chris Yeung Fund which seeks to raise awareness of men's mental health issues and to support St Patrick's students impacted by it. Tickets at https://www.trybooking.com/PJNX

Eco-Spirituality Retreat, October 23th - 27th 2017 The Ministry Development Committee of the Ballarat Anglican Diocese is organising an Eco-Spirituality Retreat in Budg Bim (south western Victoria) from 23-27 October 2017. More information at www.ballaratanglican.org.au/ecospirit

Catholic Theological College

Open Day Wednesday 8 November, 2017 Study options, Library and Building tour, Refreshments, Two programs: 4.30pm–6.30pm or 6.00pm–8.00pm Bookings essential RSVP to Jenny Delahunt by Friday 3 November Phone: 9412 3314

Email: jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au 278 Victoria Parade, East Melbourne VIC 3002

120 years of Catholic Education in Charlton

On October 20 & 21, 2017 we will be celebrating 120 years of Catholic Education in Charlton – this is also Charlton Show weekend. We invite any past pupils and staff to attend our celebrations. Please contact Anne, ph. 0408547973 for further details.

The Four Seasons Fine Music Festival

Saturday 28 October @ 7pm Babaganoush Gypsy Ensemble Venue: St Paul's Church, Clunes Sunday 29 October @ 2pm Rhys Boak and Bruno Siketa Venue: St John's Church, Creswick More information: Creswick and Clunes Information Centres or fourseasonsmusicfestval@gmail.com book online: www.ballaratanglican.org.au/fourseasons

Whoever Drinks of The Water That I Shall Give, Will Never Thirst Again - John 4:14

Next weekend our parish will be holding the annual Catholic Mission World Mission Appeal. This year we are invited to share our support for the Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary in



Nha Trang, Vietnam as they work tirelessly to provide critical community resources such as clean drinking water and medical care to the country's 12 million forgotten farming families, living in the coastal mountain regions. Freecall: 1800 257 296 catholicmission.org.au/Vietnam

Ballarat Mercy Associates Fundraiser

"Victoria and Abdul" Film and High Tea luncheon on Thursday, October 26, 2017 at 10.00am, Regent Theatre, Ballarat. Cost is \$25.00pp. Raffle and door prizes. Proceeds raised are for Mercy Works. Contacts for tickets are Ursula ph. 0407717626 or Monica ph. 0438601856. All welcome.